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The Hon. Marvin J. Garbis United States District Judge District of Maryland 101 West Lombard Street – Chambers 5C Baltimore, Maryland 21201

> Re: United States v. Harold T. Martin, III Crim. No. MJG-17-0069

Dear Judge Garbis:

The defense requests a cancellation of the Rule 11 guilty plea hearing currently scheduled for January 22, 2018. The parties are continuing negotiations with the hope of resolving the entire case.

The cancellation of the plea hearing scheduled for January 22nd requires no additional change in the Court's current schedule for this case. We do not need a new date to be scheduled at this time.

Respectfully,

/s/

James Wyda Federal Defender

cc: Harvey Eisenberg, Esq. Deborah Boardman, Esq.